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## **GREETINGS:**

We feel that the Microsoft case has been in courts much more time than necessary. There are so many more important things to work on now. Basically it appears that the majority of the groups opposed to a settlement consists of business competitors who are jealous of Microsoft's success. They want to control Microsoft and be involved in any new procedures that Microsoft will be initiating. It is not in the best interest of the public to put such strict controls on any company Microsoft has produced many new and useful computer programs and it appears that their competitors are very jealous and are attempting to tie up the company and prevent normal honest competition.

Sincerely

The truth is, there is no better time to be happy than right now. If not now, then when?

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